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Council Approves Civic Holiday

Anglicans Plan Observance Of 1967 Centenary

TORONTO — Participation of the Anglican Church of Canada in Canada's centenary celebrations is being considered by an interim committee appointed by the Primate, Most Rev. Howard H. Clark, Archbishop of Rupert's Land.

A number of suggestions have been studied by the committee under the chairmanship of Rt. Rev. H. R. Hunt, Suffragan Bishop of Toronto. A report will be made to the General Synod which will meet at Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., Aug. 22-30 when a permanent committtee will be appointed to continue the work.

Other members of the interim committee are: J. D. Wilson, Vancouver; Ven. Ahab Spence, North Battleford, Sask., R. C. Stevenson, Montreal; Mayor Charlotte Whitton, Ottawa; A. L. Cawthorne-Page, Ottawa; Very Rev. A. Briarly Browne, Kingston, Ont., Rev. H. V. R. Short, St. Catharines, Ont. and Rev. Canon Graham Lethbridge, London, Ont. Toronto members are Mrs. Rankine Nesbitt, F. A. Brewin, Q.C., Rev. A. Gordon Baker, W. Arthur Hand, F. H. Wooding, J. R. Ligertwood and Ven. E. H. Maddocks.

Dribnenkes Hold Day To Remember

LAC LA BICHE — Mrs. John Oshanyk attended a happy family reunion, held at the home of Mrs. Joe Budney at Redwater. The reunion was of the 13 Dribnenke brothers and sisters, some of whom had not met for 33 years. Their ages range from 42 years to 66 years.

Altogether about 90 relatives were present for the occasion. There were seven brothers, six sisters, their husbands and wives, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, as well as nephews and nieces.

Attending were Andrew Dribnenki. Wilton N. Dak; Mrs. John (Anne) Oshanyko, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Mike (Mary) Haverluk, Fairfield, N. Dakota; John Dribnenki, Edmonton; Mrs. William (Hattie) Zacuiski. Seattle, Wash: William Dribnenki, Edmonton: Mrs. Joe (Pauline) Budney Redwater; Mrs. Nick (Bella) Pelechaski, Edmonton; Steve Dribnenki, Bruderheim; Mrs. John (Elsie) Weleshchuk, Lafoy; Nick Dribnenki, Edmonton; Peter Dribnenki, Lloydminster.

The family had the pleasure of enioying a supper together, at the close of a happy day.

Funeral Rites Held For Mohamed Nashin

LAC LA BICHE — A long time resident of Lac la Biche, Mohamed Nashim, passed away at Lac la Biche, August 12 after a long illness. Funeral services were held August 15th at the Al Rachid Mosque, Edmonton. Imam Hammaduh A. Ati officiated and burial was in the Muslim section of the Beechmont Cemetery.

Left to mourn his passing are his wife, Lottie, two sons, Robert and Mohamad and daughter Marie, all of Lac la Biche, and a daughter Mrs. G. (Mae) Pears of Jasper, also a brother Charlie of Edmonton.

Mr. Nashim, who was one of the first mink ranchers at Lac la Biche, came to the district in 1930.

CBC MUSICAL STARS Florence Faiers and George LaFleche were among the entertainers who performed in a special program at the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Convention held in Winnipeg August 22 to 24. The program called "Special Edition" was recorded on the scene at the convention Wednesday, August 22, for broadcast Tuesday, August 28 at 7:30 p.m. Cut, Trans-Canada radio network.

Shirley Fischer, Emills Tardif Pledge Vow sAt St. Catherine's

LAC LA BICHE — Miss Shirley Fischer and Mr. Emille Tardif exchanged marriage vows in St. Catherine's Roman Catholic Church recently, with Rev. Father Veil officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fischer of Atmore and the groom is the son of Mrs. J. L. Tardif, Lac la Biche.

Soloist for the occasion was Miss Yvette Richard and the church choir sang during the service. The altar boys were Leonard and Marcel Tardif of Ferland, Sask.

For her wedding, the bride chose a floor-length gown of white lace over satin. Her chapel-length veil was held in place by a sequin and rhinestone crown. Her jewelry was a gold pendent cross, gift of the groom. The bride's bouquet was of American beauty roses.

Attending the bride were her sister, Miss Nellie Fischer, and Miss Rita Marchildon, niece of the groom. They wore identical dresses of powder blue chiffon with lace jackets. Their jewelry was cultured pearl necklace and earrings sets and they carried bouquets of blue and white carnations.

Attending the groom were Mr. [illegible] Kolack and Mr. Louis Cloutier.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Fischer chose a beige two piece dress with white accessories and white corsage.

The groom's mother wore a green lace dress with white accessories and a white corsage also.

A reception for 185 guests was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was decorated with bouquets of roses and carnations and centered with a beautiful four-tier wedding cage.

Mr. M. Maccano, MLA was master of ceremonies. Mr. Freddie Fischer brother of the bride, proposed the toast to his sister.

Later a dance was held in the Plamondon Hall.

Following a wedding trip to Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Tardif will reside in Lac la Biche.

Out of town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Fischer, Hughenden, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Fischer, Manning; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fischer, Keg River; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Soroka, Manning; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mathlev, Czar; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tardif, Bonnyville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morin, Ferland, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Gillies Bonniet; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bouffort, and Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Morin, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Tardif, all of Ferland, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Plamondon, Trail, B.C.; and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shapko, Drumheller.

Lac la Biche

Bruce Proctor of the Lord Strathcona Horse (Royal Canadian) Regiment, stationed in Calgary, is spending a month's leave at his home here.

Other guests at the Proctor home include Mr. Proctor's sister Mrs. Jessie Thompson and daughter Sheryl of Winnipeg and his nephew Christopher Hancock of Fort Qu'Applelle, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stefanyk have bought the house formerly owned by William Dorish on Saskatchewan avenue and moved there recently.

Bernie Romaniuk, who owns the only sailing boat in this area, had an exciting experience recently when his boat capsized while sailing at Beaver Lake. Bernie was alone in the boat at the time and managed to reach shore safely. The lake was very rough at the time.

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Plans Program To Celebrate Sidewalk Project Completion

LAC LA BICHE — At the August 14 meeting of Town Council, first reading was given a by-law authorizing a civic holiday on September 17. A committee of Council volunteered to be in charge of arrangements for a program for the day, to conclude with a banquet and dance. The activities of the day will be planned to celebrate the sidewalk construction project recently completed in the town under the provincial government's five-year plan of assistance to municipalities.

A bulding permit was approved for construction of a motel, estimated to cost $55,000, with completion date set for Dec. 31, 1962.

First readings were given by-laws to authorize debenture borrowing to extend water and sewer mains to newly-developed areas. The by-laws will then be submitted to the Local Authorities Board for approval, after which application will be made for the required loan.

A bid from Hilman & Huber Construction was accepted to apply stucco to the skating rink building.

A motion was passed authorizing the purchase of plates for the cars of the members of the local volunteer fire brigade, which will attach to the license plates and give the members special parking privileges in times of emergency.

A motion was passed authorizing Councillor Shanks to be absent from the next three regular meetings of council while Mr Shanks is away on a trip to Germany.

Harry Lobay and William Duban were present at the meeting to ask the opinion of council regarding a proposed motel in Block 30. No plans were presented and no application for a permit was made, with the result that no definite answer could be given.

Present for the meeting were Councillors Wolstenholme, Vincent, Badry, Shanks and Bouvier, as well as Mayor Maccagno and Secretary Creighton.

Sister Batilda Visits District

LAC LA BICHE — Sister Batilda, third grade teacher in Lac la Biche for some 10 years and now teaching in Modesto, Calif., was renewing acquaintances in town recently.

Sister Batilda, acompanied by four other nuns, all teaching in Modesto, has been attending summer school at the University of Alberta. Travelling by stationwagon, of which Sister Batilda was driver, were Sister Solange, Sister Agathe and Sister Joanne, all from Alberta, and Sister Alicia from the Maritimes.

Sister Batilda has been teaching in California since 1955.

SHOWER HONORS MARY AMALIA

LAC LA BICHE — Miss Mary Amalia was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Germaine Cadieux recently.

Miss Amalia, a missionary candidate under the SIM to Somalia, Africa, expects to sail soon. The gifts she received from the 15 ladies of the E. Free Church are part of her overseas outfit.

Children Enjoy Wiener Roast

LAC LA BICHE — A wiener roast at Beaver Lake and a program presented by the children marked the closing exercises of the two weeks of vacation Bible school conducted by the Evangelical Free Church August 6 to 17.

Mrs. J. Plett directed the daily sessions and Miss Ruth Friebel, missionary on furlough from Cuba and Haiti, was the main speaker. Other teachers instructing the 43 children enrolled were Mary Mary Amalia, Mrs. Wesley Creighton and Nick Gawryletz.

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Rose Pruden, Jim Littlechilds Exchange Vows At Lac La Biche

McRAE — The Lac la Biche Anglican Church was the setting for the afternoon wedding of Miss Rose Pruden, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dolphas Pruden of Kikino and Mr. Jim Littlechilds, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Littlechilds of McRae. Rev. Mr. Swinton officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by Jim's uncle, Mr. Francis Erasmus, chose a full-length gown styled with a lace fitted bodice and a full netted skirt over a silk crinolined skirt accented with red roses. Her veil held in place by a crown of small white flowers.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Peter Erasmus, matron-of-honor, and Miss Irene Littlechilds, bridesmaid.

The groom's attendants were Mr. Peter Erasmus and Mr. George Littlechilds.

At the reception held at the home of the groom, the bride's table was centred with a four-tier wedding cake.

The young couple will make their home at McRae.

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Mobile TB Chest X-Ray Unit To Conduct Survey At Kikino

The Christmas Seal Mass Chest X-Ray Unit will move to Caslan Metis Colony and set up to commence operations Sept. 4 at 1:30 p.m. in the Kikino West School. Information may be obtained from K. Wilson, supervisor.

The survey will be conducted Tuesday, Sept. 4, between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., during which time approximately 150 adults and children will be examined.

The clinic will terminate Sept. 4 at 4:00 p.m. It will then move to Caslan and commence operations there Sept. 5 at 1:30 p.m.

Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE — Patients admitted to St. Catherine's Hospital, week ending August 18:

Valerie and Elizabeth Quintal, Conklin; John Oshanyk, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Harvey Kennedy, Hylo; Audrey Thompson, Kikino; Ramona Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Bessie Dent, Amesbury; Peter Sampietro, Beaver Lake; Irene Anderson, Lac la Biche; Sinclair Gauthier, Plamondon; Robert Beaudreau, Caslan; Mrs. Peter Burdek, Grandin; Ray Ball, Drayton Valley; Mrs. Oscar Tremblay, Lac la Biche; Allan Parranto, Lac la Biche Mission; Oliver Bourque, Lac la Biche; Cordella and Marlene Pearson, Tweedie; Percy Lyons, Atmore; Onufrey Gardey, Floyd Pruden, Mrs. Arsene Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Dolores Tremblay, Imperial Mills; Arthur Pruden, Kikino; Mrs. Walter Rokovetsky, Sarrail; Mrs. Dora Kibbe, Lac la Biche.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Merk, Lac la Biche, a girl, August 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Osterholm, Lac la Biche, a girl, August 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorien Aubee, Breynat, a girl, August 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spence, Lac la Biche, a boy, August 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mountain, Lac la Biche, a boy, August 12.

Caslan

LAC Peterson and Mrs. Peterson and family of Camox, B.C., Mrs. Clayton Henson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Henson and family of Caslan, and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Henson and family of Edmonton went on a motor trip which included travelling to Jasper and Banff.

The Neil Hughes family are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Matushek.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sparrow have sold their farm stock and household goods with intentions of making their home elsewhere. Mr. Sparrow has gone to Edmonton for the present time and Mrs. Sparrow has gone to Vancouver, B.C.

Mrs. Joe Krumpie is a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer and family of Edmonton spent a weekend at Caslan when they brought Mrs. Meyer Sr. and Edna home from a motor trip to the Jasper Park.

Helina

George Suhan made a recent business trip to Edmonton.

Alfred and Kenny Onciul of Golden, B.C. are visiting in the district.

Nick Keeper attended the funeral of his mother in Vancouver.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Onciul were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huff of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. William Kee and family of Wainwright and Mr. and Mrs. George Cozicar and family, Mrs. John Cozicar and Gloria and Bill Cozicar of Vilna.

Mrs. William Suhan attended the wedding of a cousin in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huser, Karen and Glenn of Edmonton and Pauline Daily of Ashmont were recent visitors in the district. Mr. Huser and the children are spending a few days at Fork Lake beach.

Robert Onciul is now employed in Barrhead.

Joe Stothers recently killed a lynx and Dave Onciul a bob-cat on the farm.

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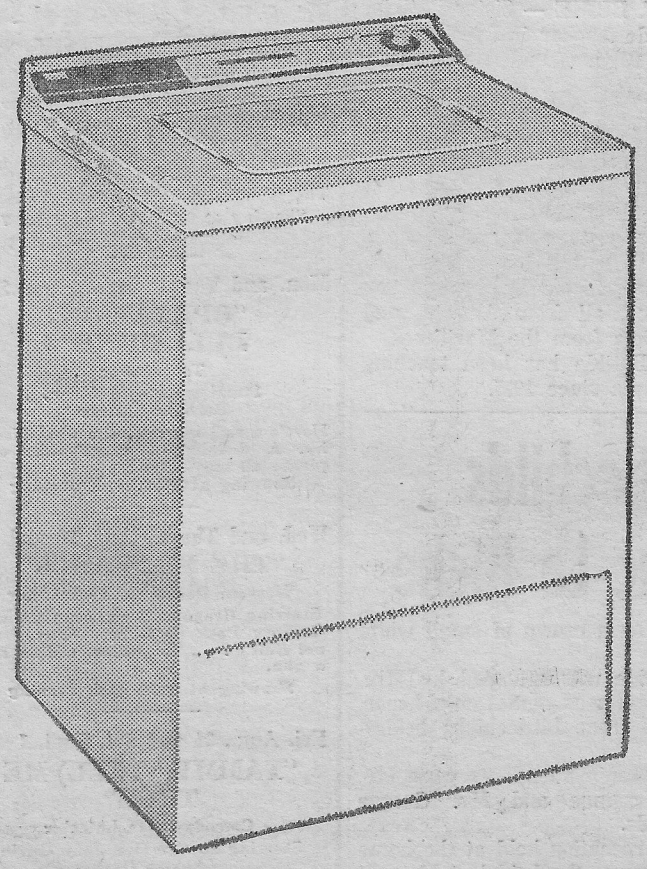

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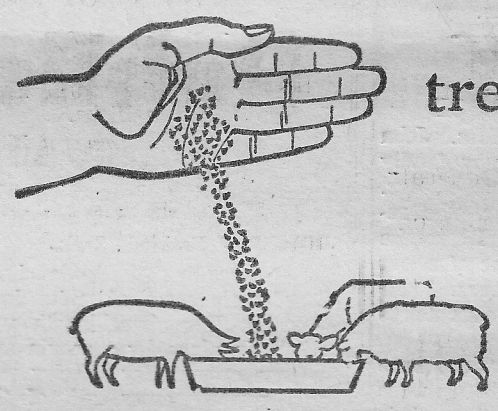

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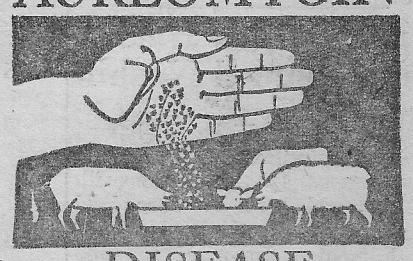

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Officials Discuss Sliding Shore

Problems Of Erosion Damage And Fluctuating Lake Levels Studied

LAC LA BICHE — Hon. Gordon Taylor, minister of highways, paid a visit to Lac la Biche along with Director of Water Resources, F. L. Grindlay and other government personnel, August 15.

The main purpose of the visit was to inspect a section of the lakeshore on Lake Promenade which has sunk about five feet and continues to slide toward the lake. This area has been giving the town concern for some months since it began to crack and fall away, as a gas main was in serious danger, as well as the street being rendered useless for traffic.

During the forenoon the minister and Mr. Grindlay, along with a staff of engineers including J. P. Walsh, district engineer from St. Paul, inspected the danger spot along with Mayor Maccagno and other town officials. The whole section of lake front adjoining the town was checked, and possible ways of correcting the damage caused by erosion of the shoreline were discussed. Later in the day a trip was made to Lac la Biche Mission Beach where the high level of the lake is causing concern to owners of summer cottages. In considering the problem of the fluctuating levels of the lake, the pros and cons of dredging the La Biche River and building a dam were given an airing.

As an answer to the town's immediate problem on Lake Promenade. Mr. Taylor made the following recommendations:

1. That the town undertake at its own expense to remove the gas line as quickly as possible from this street.
2. That the town would advise the minister when the said gas line was disconnected.
3. That the government would supply engineers to supervise the repair of the slide at their expense.
4. That the government of Alberta and the town of Lac la Biche would share the costs of the repair on a 75% provincial, 25% town basis.
5. That the engineer in charge of the work would keep the town advised as the work progresses.
6. That the government would commence the work as soon as possible after the gas line was disconnected.

The party also made a trip to the end of the road being built to connect Lac la Biche with Highway 28, of which only about 14 miles remain to be completed. Work on this road, including building of grade and stockpiling of gravel, is to be stepped up. The right of way is already completely cleared.

For Highway 46, plans are to continue re-building the grade from Abee to the Alpin Corner this year, and to reach Boyle next year. This work is being done to a standard which will be ready for hardsurfacing when completed. With crews working in two directions from Lac la Biche, both leading toward hard surfaces highways, the possibility for better road outlets, although not all that could be desired, seems to be improving.

LAVENDER SACHETS

Make lavender sachets - without - sewing by putting two or three tablespoons of the dried flowers in the centre of a dainty handkerchief, pull up the corners and tie in a ball with ribbon, finishing with a hook for hanging. Never put loose lavender with wool blankets or sweaters. The flowers will eat into the wool and leave small holes.

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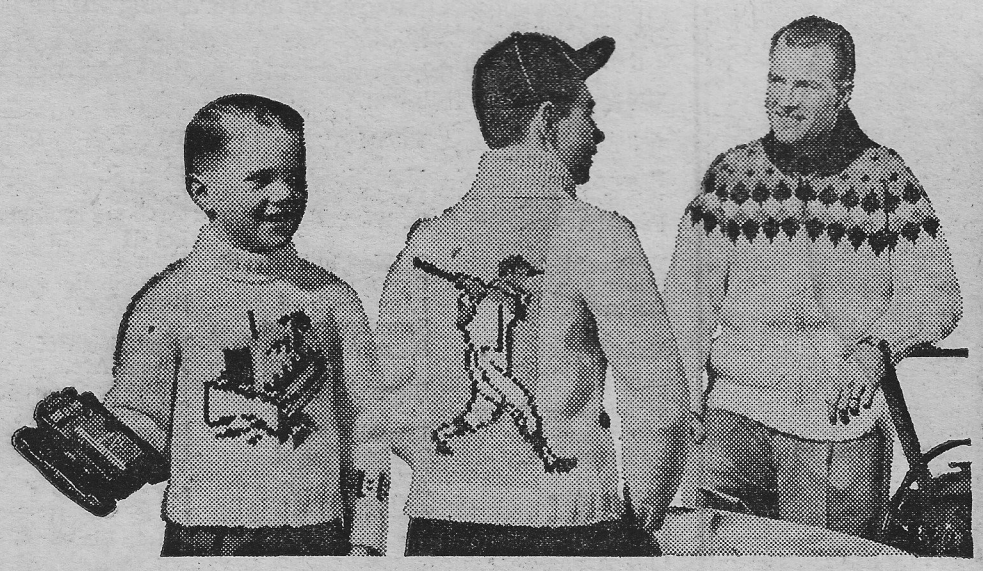
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Funeral Rites Held For Bob Stubberfield

LAC LA BICHE — Funeral services for a long-time resident of Lac la Biche, Robert "Bob" Stubberfield, were held from the Memorial Hall, Aug. 11 at 2 p.m.

Rev. Mr. Zwicker, Athabasca, United Church minister, officiated and burial was in the Lac la Biche Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Len Kolstad, Jack Williams, Gordon Schryver, Peter Stropchinski, Steve Warawa and John Zaluzny.

Athabasca Funeral Services were in charge.

Robert Donald Stubberfield was born at Omaha, Neb., Aug. 12, 1912. He came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Stubberfield, to Sedgewick, in 1915. In 1936 Bob came to Lac la Biche where he engaged in mink ranching and fishing until a severe heart condition some nine years ago forced him to take up lighter work.

He was fond of music and was well known because of his musical talents. He was also fond of fishing and boating and just prior to his last illness was engaged in constructing rowboats.

Early in July he suffered a severe heart attack and was in hospital until his passing Aug. 9.

Left to mourn are his loving wife Natalie; son Donald, 18; daughter Barbara, 13; three brothers, Reuben of Willets, Calif., Ned of Chetwynd, B.C., Neil of Chilliwack, B.C. A sister Nina, Mrs. J. R. Glennie of Sedgewick, and his parents predeceased him several years ago.

Coming from a distance to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Ned Stubberfield of Chetwynd, B.C.; Jack Glennie of Sedgewick; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kelly of Jasper; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dedeluk of Edmonton and Zane Dedeluk of Grande Centre.

Bar Association Prexy K. Crockett Says Judges Should View Hangings

The president of the Edmonton Bar Association, Ken Crockett, said recently a hanging is a shattering thing to witness but is something any judge who has to mete out capital punishment should be required to attend.

Mr. Crockett, who witnessed a hanging at the Fort Saskatchewan Gaol several years ago, told the South Edmonton Rotary Club any lawyer practicing criminal law should have a similar experience or at least visit a prison to find out what conditions are actually like.

Mr Crockett also said much of the capital punishment should be done away with but should be retained to deal with specific cases which are premeditated "otherwise you would not have a rule of law but rule by the mob."

Grassland

Mike Evansusky is handing out cigars after the birth of a daughter at Athabasca.

Teacherages here are being spruced up in preparation for the coming term. Some teachers are expected to arrive next week.

A birthday party for Mrs. May was held on a recent Wednesday. Twenty-one ladies were present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corse and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Melnyk were weekend guests at Walter Corse's home and attended the Yakowchuk wedding.

Mrs. Kirylchuk, the former Alma Semeniuk, will be teaching here this term.

C. M. Sutton made a business trip to Plamondon on a recent Saturday night.

Wandering River

Improvements are being made to the teacherage occupied by the principal of the school, Mr. and Mr. Peter Ponich.

Mr. and Mrs. George Antler of Edmonton and family spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell.

Haying operations are well under way in this district, although often hindered by showers.

Mrs. Stan Wylie of McMurray is vacationing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oliver Glanfield and Mr. Glandfield.

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Spruce Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Matoga of Edmonton were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Matoga.

Mrs. Genoeffa McAulby and son Danny of Whiterock, B.C. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kanarek and family and with Walter Szwedo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Zilinski and family of Athabasca were recent guests at the Nick Zilinski home.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Homeniuk during the August 5 weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hominiuk, Kathy and Ronnie and their grandson Wayne Romanko all of Edmonton. While here they also visited with the Nick Zilinski family. Other visitors were John Homeniuk of Drayton Valley and John Myorchik of Edmonton.

Gordon Zilinski is back home after spending a week holiday at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. B. Zilinski at Athabasca.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Zachkewich and children, Orest, Bonnie and Jimmy have returned from their holiday trip. They motored through the many holiday resorts in southern Alberta and the interior of B.C. and report having a wonderful trip.

Miss Doris Derkson of Edmonton is visiting at her home here a while.

A number of local residents attend the agricultural fair held at Athabasca August 6 and .

Eddie and Allen Zilinski took their steers to the fair and sold them at a nice price.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith and Darrel of Edmonton were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Pysyk.

Recent Sunday guests at the P. Homeiniuk home were Mr. and Mrs. P. Koltowski of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Homeniuk, Kenny, Laura and Linda, and Mike Homeniuk all of Thorhild and Michael Zigmont of Edmonton.

Lorry Semashkewich was a recent patient in the Athabasca Hospital where he was treated on a dislocated hip.

George Wojtowicz is home from the RCAF visiting with his father here for awhile.

Almost anybody can give advice that is not worth taking.

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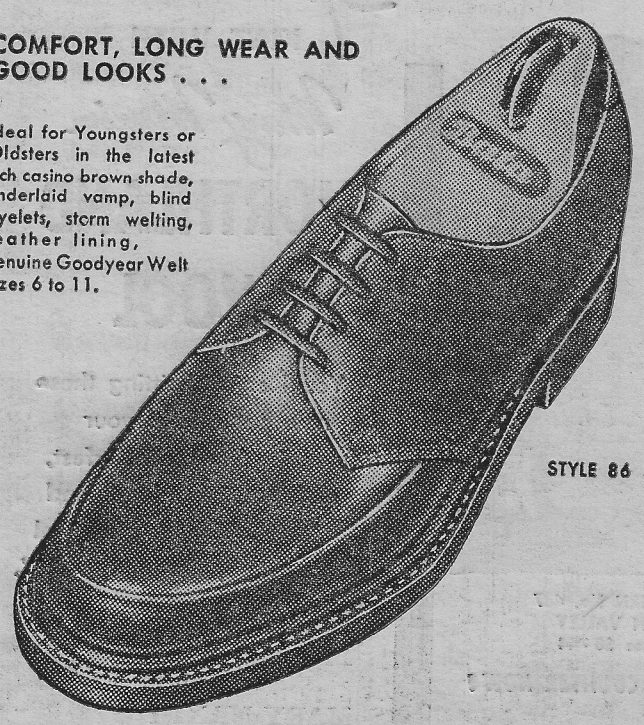
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Pursuant to the provisions of the Town and Village Act, public notice is hereby given that after the expiration of two weeks from the last publication of this notice (unless the majority of owners of the lands that may be assessed therefor representing at least one-half in value thereof as aforesaid, petition the Council against it within two weeks after the said last publication of the notice) the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort McMurray intends to undertake Waterworks Construction as a local improvemnt and to charge against the lands abutting on that portion of the street or place whereon or wherein the local improvement is to be made at a uniform unit rate of 33 cents per foot per year for 25 years as part of the construction costs of the said work. All construction costs in excess of the foregoing will be borne by the town at large.

The proposed improvements are the construction of Waterworks as follows:

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Fraser Ave.	Main St.	King St.
Manning Ave.	Queen St.	King St.
Franklin Ave.	St. West of Queen St.	200' east of River Lot 11
McDonald Ave.	St. West of Queen St.	Main St.
Biggs Ave.	Queen St.	King St.
Queen St.	Lane south of Saunderson Ave.	Biggs Ave.
Main St.	Biggs Ave.	Lane North of Fraser Ave.
King St.	Biggs Ave.	Franklin Ave.
St. between River Lots 9 and 10	Franklin Ave.	School yard in River Lot 10
Railway Ave.	2 blks. west of Tomlinson St.	Huggard St.
Bulyea Ave.	Tomlinson St.	Lot 20, Block 9
Hughes Ave.	Tomlinson St.	Lot 6, Blk. 11
Lane north of Cliff Ave.	Tomlinson St.	Lot 1, Blk. 8
Cliff Ave.	Tomlinson St.	Bishop St.
Tomlinson St.	High Ave.	Hughes Ave.
Tomlinson St.	Bulyea Ave.	Railway Ave.
Huggard St.	Hughes Ave.	Railway Ave.

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Accident Victim Returns Home After Six Weeks In Hospital

BAYVIEW — After hovering at Death's door for several days, during which time she underwent several operations, (Doris) Mrs. Douglas Gauthier was released from the Royal Alexandra Hospital August 11, exactly six weeks from the day that she and her husband and her 14-year-old brother Rolly were rushed to hospital in critical condition. They had been involved in a two-car head-on collision, one of the worst highway accidents in the province's history.

This happened on the night of June 30, on highway 16, near Wabamun. Four of the eight occupants lost their lives. Among the dead was Ronnie, twin-brother of Rolly who was hospitalized one week for a fractured nose and shoulder and several cuts and bruises.

In the mishap Doris suffered two dislocated hips, one broken leg, a broken arm and foot, three broken ribs and severe lacerations to the face and head. She also lost several teeth. At the time of her release she tipped the scale at 96 pounds. She is walking with the help of crutches.

Douglas suffered broken jaws, a broken nose, two broken legs and severe cuts and bruises, also a battered arm. His condition has greatly improved but he will remain in hospital for some time yet. Doris is staying with friends in Edmonton but planned to come out to visit her parents.

On this occasion Mr. and Mrs. A. Gauthier, parents of the accident victims, wish to express their sincere thanks to those who helped them in their great bereavement. Rev. Fr. Morin, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cadieux, also Claude Gauthier, Philip Plamondon and Harold Belanger, who generously made trips to Edmonton so the parents could visit their children in the hospital, to those who gave mass offerings and floral tributes and to the choir who sang the requiem mass on July 5.

Best wishes of the community for a speedy recoverey go out to Doris and Doug.

Fork Lake

Mrs. Vera Sunderman of Hythe, accompanied by Mrs. Marie Dobbs of Heisler were recent visitors at the Joe Sunderman home.

Miss Georgina Reid is staying in Lac la Biche with Mrs. M. Caron while Mr. Caron is away in Edmonton for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lougheed of Edmonton were recent visitors in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Menard of Edmonton were camping and visiting in the district recently.

Jimmy Liddle has returned to Burns Lake, B.C., where he is employed, after a brief visit with his parents.

A number of graves in Fork Lake cemetery have been cemented recently. This is a marked improvement to the cemetery.

Mrs. Eddy Whelen is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Seaton in the Morecambe district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ginther of Drumheller; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boice, Barbarae and Faye and Ralph Boice of Elnora and Pat Ginther and Dale of Edmonton camped at the lake and visited at the Sunderman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuzna and Darrell of Edmonton and Frank Sunderman of St. Paul were also recent visitors in the district.

Synod To Hear Address On Work Of Laymen

KINGSTON — Rev. Dr. Howard Harper, Executive Director of the General Division of Laymen's Work of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, will address delegates and visitors to the 21st Anglican General Synod here, Aug. 28.

Dr. Harper, who has had long experience in the Episcopal Church, will speak of the role being played by laymen in the United States.

Since the last General Synod, the Division of Laymen's Work (formerly the National Laymen's Council) of the Anglican Church under the direction of Eric Freeman has sponsored laymen's conferences and workshops at the ecclesiastical provincial level. Diocesan representatives attending have discussed the role and function of the layman in the Church.

As a result of the conferences, many dioceses are organizing workshops, seminars and meetings for the men of deaneries and parishes in their area. Care is taken in the selection of men for their interest and leadership ability.

HOT SPOT

First Cannibal — "Gosh I forgot the roast. The missionary is burning."

Second Ditto — "Holy smoke."

District Visitors Enjoy Fishing

BAYVIEW — Jess B. Almand of San Jose, Calif., Zackary M. Almand of Atlanta, Georgia, Nick Harasym of Waskatenau, Fred Johnson of Grassland and Marshall D. Muzyka of Edmonton were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Varin.

They were taken out on the lake by local fishermen to see how nets were set and, the next day, how fish were pulled out of the nets.

They also had their own fishing tackle and caught some pickerel, perch and jackfish.

Neighbors Gather For House Warming

SPRUCE VALLEY — On the evening of Friday, August 10, many friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Matoga to honor them with a house-warming party.

Dan Gawalko made an appropriate speech and presented the couple with a beautiful turquoise chrome-trimmed clothes hamper from all the people gathered there.

Mr. and Mrs. Matoga expressed their appreciation and thanked the crowd with a few well chosen words.

A lunch concluded the enjoyable evening.

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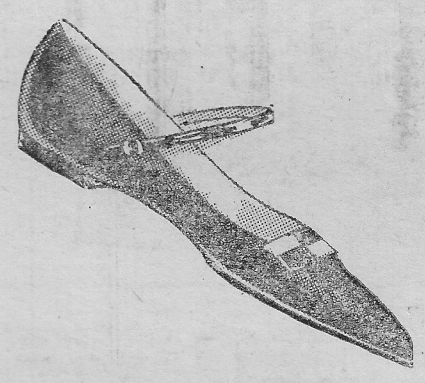
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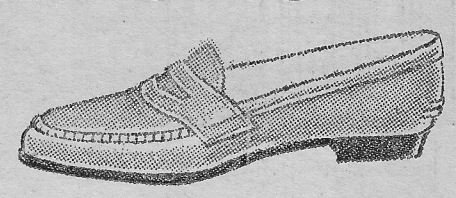
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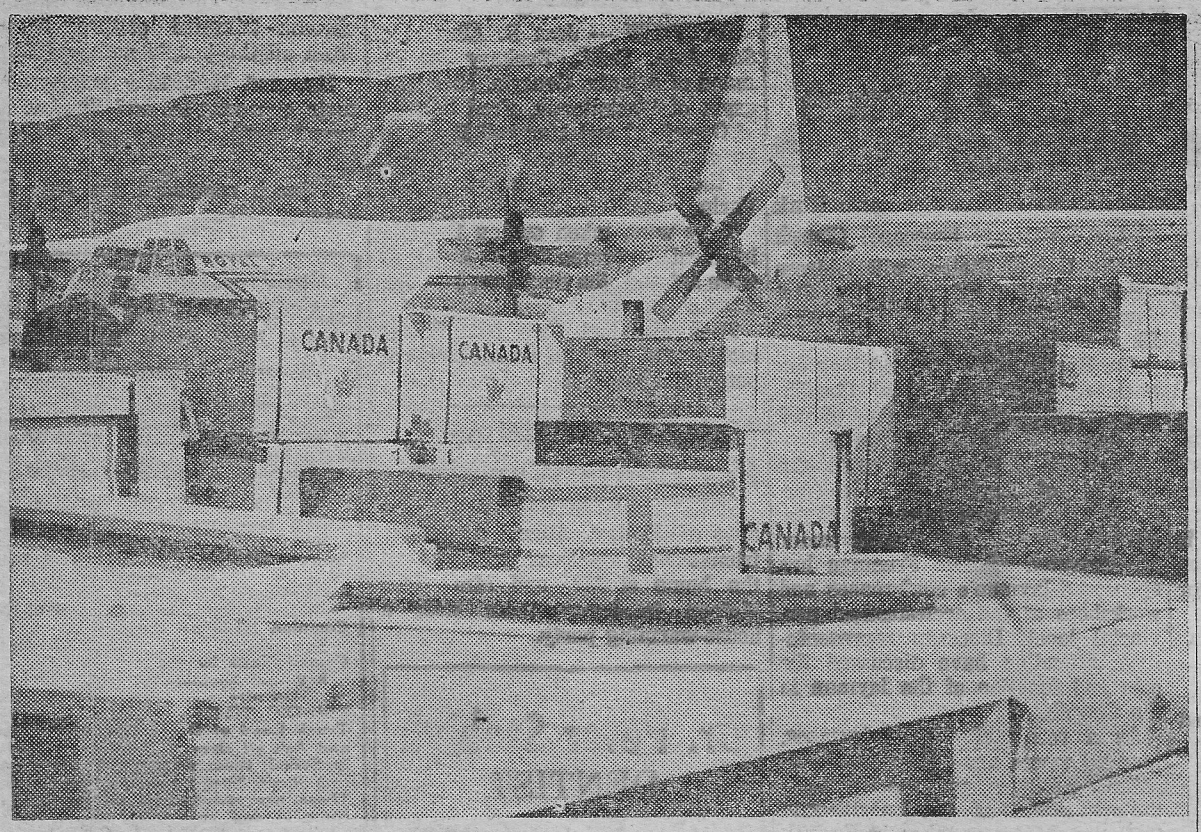

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Lac la Biche Mission

Rev. Fr. Picotte made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ulliac were business visitors to the district Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Louis Tardiff underwent surgery at Lac la Biche Hospital recently.

Funeral services were held for Leona Ladouceur who passed away at Lac la Biche Hospital. The service was conducted by Rev. Fr. Picotte. All the relatives from Edmonton were present.

Mrs. G. Usher of Edmonton came with her children to spend her holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bourque.

Mr. Forcade came for the weekend from Edmonton and planned to paint his new cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boucher have gone to Caslan to gather blueberries for a few days.

The department of highways is having the old trail road gravelled.

Miss Ida Cloutier worked for Mrs. Louis Tardif during the latter's absence at the hospital.

Mr. T. W. Pue, publisher, from Edmonton was here recently.

Willie Hamilton and his family of Lac la Biche spent a recent Sunday at his cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Buchenel have returned from their trip to British Columbia and the United States, where they spent a month. Mrs. Buchenel's relatives live there.

BRIGHT BOY

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Willie — Republican, Democrat an cocktail.

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Twin Spruce

Home for the weekend were Nick Mamchur and Annie Nahrabinchyk.

Harry Fedun is home now after spending a week at his brother-in-law's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Onushko stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Horbut for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosa visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Tymo. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Broda Visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Broda.

Visiting John Fedun were Mr and Mrs. Leo Kuzyk and family and Victor Kuzyk.

Miss Irene Kuzyk was staying for holidays at the home of John Fedun.

Jim Karnak motored to Weasel Creek recently.

John Fedun is putting up another barn.

TALKED TOO MUCH

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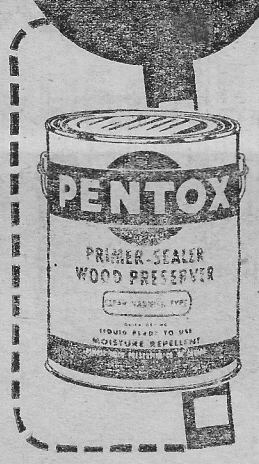

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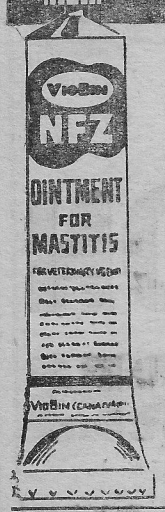

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Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, chapter 334, R.S.A., 1955, the following lands will be offered for sale by public auction, to be held in the office of the Department of Municipal Affairs, Provincial Building, at Lac la Biche, Alberta, on Wednesday, the 5th day of September, 1962, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Improvement District No. 102

Pt. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	M.	Area
Pt. S.W.	21	63	12	4	30.6
(C. of H. 150-X-138)					
Pt. S.E.	31	66	13	4	128.09
S.E.	33	65	14	4	160
S.W.	33	65	14	4	160
N.E.	4	66	14	4	158.82
Pt. N.W.	29	66	14	4	147.68
Pt. N.W.	15	68	14	4	84.6
(C. of T. 84-Z-118)					
S.E.	13	65	15	4	160
N.W.	14	65	15	4	160
N.E.	25	65	15	4	160
Pt. S.E.	9	66	15	4	30.2
(C. of T. 1-H-159)					
N.E.	8	67	15	4	161
N.W.	9	67	15	4	161
N.W.	12	67	15	4	161
Pt. N.W.	2	65	16	4	90
(C. of T. 225-S-169)					
Pt. S.E.	24	66	16	4	73.3
(C. of T. 181-F-161)					
S.E.	19	67	16	4	161
N.W.	19	68	16	4	150
S.E.	33	71	16	4	160
S.W.	33	71	16	4	160
Pt. N.E.	16	65	17	4	146.57
S.E.	21	67	17	4	159.44
N.E.	3	70	17	4	156.8
S.E.	3	70	17	4	157.39
N.E.	10	71	17	4	161
Pt. N.E.	1	72	17	4	71.1
(C. of T. 34-Z-182)					
S.E.	13	72	17	4	153.4
N.E.	31	69	18	4	159.2
Pt. N.W.	31	69	18	4	29.6
(C. of T. 70-E-170)					
Pt. S.E.	31	69	18	4	35.3
(C. of T. 72-E-170)					
N.E.	30	63	10	4	158.99
S.W.	31	63	10	4	158.99
S.W.	35	63	10	4	160
S.E.	4	63	11	4	165
S.W.	4	63	11	4	165
N.W.	15	63	11	4	39.3
(C. of T. 46-Z-183)					
S.W.	15	63	11	4	157.99
N.E.	7	64	11	4	160
Pt. S.E.	24	71	17	4	.53
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"Diane Adams," 32, an attractive legal stenographer in Toronto, is seen in the black sheath dress in which "she" appeared in court on a charge of criminal negligence after a car crash. Due to the arrest, "Diane" was found to be actually Clifford Cayer, a man.

Hylo

Mrs. Matthews and family of Idaho, USA were guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Rayment.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Calrk of Edmonton were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lozinski.

Mrs. Fred Revega, Daniel and Randall were recent Sunday visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Poholski.

D. Shalopay of Richmond Park returned home after spending several days with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Meardi.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin and family were visiting Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Waschuk.

William Lozinski went to Edmonton on a recent Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poholski motored to Edmonton recently.

Nick Gushinsky spent a few days with his parents.

Mike Owchar motored to Edmonton recently.

Mrs. N. Zalewsky and daughter Zorina spent a few days in Edmonton.

Monkeys are not the only monkeys that eat peanuts.

Boys "Tour" Northern Alberta, British Columbia, Hitching

FRAINS — What started out to be a fruit picking expedition ended as an over 13 hundred mile hitch-hike for three young country enthusiasts.

Ernie Kolmaticki, who lives in Edmonton and Ray Phillips and Gayain Warden both from Vancouver and all in their mid-teens, found fruit-picking at Penticton, B.C. too boring After a days work in the blistering sun the three turned north and started hitch-hicking with only their bed sacks and their thumbs.

From Penticton they caught rides to Kelowna, then turned west and hitch-hiked to Kamloops, they went straight north, passing through towns like Williams Lake, Quesnel, Prince George and Pine Valley. Then they turned east for the Alberta border, passing through Dawson Creek and hitting the border at Tupper. They pressed on to Grand Prairie hitting Valleyview and then High Prairie.

After seeing enough of the north, especially the mosquitoes, they slowly turned southeast through Faust to Smith then through Athabasca and arriving at Boyle. They arrived at Frains where they stayed with Ernie's relatives.

When asked why the two Vancouver boys wanted to make such a trip they answered "We wanted to see Alberta". The two then left for home which with luck they plan to reach before school opens. Though spending their nights in granaries. they found the trip quite an experience. They spent a week and a day on the road.

Bishop Bayne Speaker At Anglican Synod

KINGSTON — Leading churchmen from Britain and the United States will be included among visitors to the 21st Anglican General Synod here Aug. 22-30.

Rt. Rev. Stephen F. Bayne Jr., Executive Officer of the Anglican Communion, is coming from London to peach at the opening service in St. George's Cathedral. The Bishop an authority on the Communion's missionary work, will also address the delegates when the report of the Department of Missions is being considered.

On Aug. 28 the speaker at a dinner sponsored by the Division of Laymen's Work will be Rev. Dr. Howard H. Harper, who directs the General Division of Laymen's Work of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States. The same evening Rev. Peter Harvey, Editor of Anglican World, an English publication, will be heard when the report of the Department of Information and Stewardship is presented.

D. M. Schurman, Associate Professor of History at Royal Military College here, will be the speaker at the luncheon of the Canadian Church Historical Society on Aug. 27.

Greetings from the United Church of Canada will be extended by its Moderator, Rt. Rev. H. A. McLeod. He will address the synod on Aug. 29.

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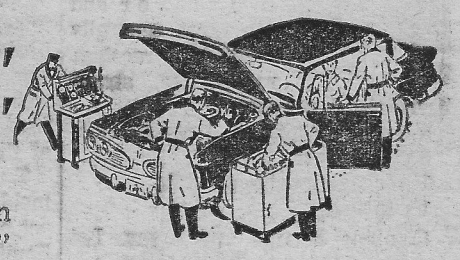

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The improvements are the construction of SANITARY SEWERS as follows:

ON	FROM	TO
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McDonald Ave.	St. West of Queen St.	Main St.
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Lane North of Cliff Ave.	Lot 8, Block 8	Bishop St.
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Bishop St.	Hughes Ave.	Cliff Ave.

Dated at Fort McMurray, Alberta this 31st day of July 1962.

Date of last publication of this notice: August 25th, 1962.

G. E. BUSSIERES,
Secretary-Treasurer

The Homemaker

By B. M. McCUTCHEON, District Home Economist, Westlock

Berries both wild and tame are particularly large and juicy this year. Many of you will be making jellies and jams. Here are some helpful hints and a recipe for frozen jam with a fresh flavor.

FROZEN JAM

Have you ever tried making frozen jams? They are delicious! I know you will enjoy them as much as you do frozen fruits for dessert. There is a freshness about them that can not be duplicated in a cooked product. Preparation is simple.

B. McCutcheon

The fruits you should use are those which have good flavor and are most generally used for freezing; raspberries, strawberries and peaches.

3 cups finely mashed raspberries
6 cups sugar
1 package pectin crystals
1 cup water.

Combine berries and sugar. Let stand about 20 minutes, stirring occasionally. Stir the pectin into the water and bring to a boil. Boil repidly for one minute stirring constantly. Remove from stove. Add berries and stir 2 minutes. Pour into sterilized gasses or jars. Leave at room temperature for about 12 hours or until jelled. Store in the freezer. When taken from the freezer store in the refrigerator rather than in your cupboard. This should make approximately 9 jelly glasses.

For strawberry jam use 1 cups finely mashed strawberries, 3 cups sugar, 1 pkg. pectin or 1 pkg. pectin crystals and 1 cup water. Follow the same directions as for raspberry jam. For peach or apricot jam, use the same proportions for fruit, sugar and pectin and water as for strawberry jam, but add one teaspoon powdered citric acid (available at the drugstore)z to prevent discoloration of the fruit.

JELLY MAKING

The greatest cause of failure is the use of too much sugar. An excess causes a soft jelly; a great excess results in a syrup.

Soft jelly may also be the result of insufficient cookingj too much or too little acid. lack of pectin, or prolonged boiling with accompanying hydrolysis of the pectin.

Tough jelly may be due to the use of too little sugar, too much pectin, and overcooking.

Cloudy jelly is usually due to improper extraction. Straining the juice through a coarse cloth or pressing while straining allows some of the pulp to pass through with the juice. Sometimes green fruit gives a cloudy jelly because of the starch present in the juice.

True jelly does not ferment or mold. However, jelly that does not set or jelly that once sets and later liquifies may forment.

"Weeping of jelly is frequently the result of using a juice too high in acid content. Jellies made with pectin concentrates sometimes weep.

Crystallization in jelly is most frequently the result of too great a concentration of sugar. Usually it occurs in jelly low in acid and often when sugar is added near the end of the cooking period, resulting in little or no inversion taking place. Crystallization is not likely to occur if the sugar has been originally properly proportioned to the pectin in the juice and if the resulting jelly has been properly sealed up.

Cream of Tartar Crystals frequently occur in grape jelly. Allowing the juice to stand twelve to fourteen hours and decanting or straining the cold juice before making the jelly often removes enough of the cream of tartar to prevent the formation of these crystals in the jelly. Strong flavor and dark color are usually the result of too long a cooking period.

For the correct method of preparing jelly and for some interesting recipes, why don't you write for the pamphlet "Jams, Jellies and Pickles"?

Atmore

Miss Elaine LeFebure of Edmonton is holidaying at the Joe Duigou home.

Mrs. Matheson and Peggy are back home.

Congratulations of the district are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schliegel on the birth of a baby boy.

Mrs. Page of Edmonton visited her sister Mrs. Lloyd Dakin last week.

Mrs. and Mr. Duplessis and family of Edmonton visited the George Dakin's over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duigou, Ronnie and Bertha visited at St. Albert and Edmonton.

Walter Pietzak is back after an extended visit to Poland.

A few of the local ladies attended a birthday party for Mrs. Stanley May.

Miss Joyce Shapka of Charron and Vivian Plamondon of Avenir visited with Sandra Karpetz.

The girls from the 4-H garden club of Grassland school made a tour of the gardens last week. Judges were Mr. Ness of Edmonton, Mrs. McCutcheon home economist of Westlock and the leaders Mrs. Duniec and Mrs. Orville Jenkins.

Miss Florence Putnam is employed at the Jerome Johnson's.

Plamondon

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gaudet and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Girard made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Miss Lena Menard is visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melnyk, as well as other relatives in Fort Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Plamondon have returned to Trail, B.C. After spending three weeks vacation visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plamondon and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Plamondon made a special trip to Edmonton to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Ashacker on the occasion of their birthdays August 18.

Rev. Father Morin, along with three Altar boys, visited several parisher of the diocese.

Many Knights of Columbus, their wives and families attended their annual picnic at their private beach at Egg Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Plamondon. David Plamondon and Roger Gauthier made a business trip to Edmonton and St. Albert. Mrs. Plamondon will spend a few days with her parents in Beaumont.

Bayview

Len Gravelle of Vancouver, B.C., was a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Art Varin's home and enjoyed a visit with his son Garry. At present Garry is staying with Mr. and Mrs. A. Varin.

S. Kamelchuk has left for Edmonton to attend University for 10 days. Mrs. Kamelchuk and Joanie are spending a few days in Boyle with Mr. and Mrs. G. Kudrynesky and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barranoik and family.

The road from Plamondon to Bayview Camp-site has received a new coat of gravel.

Roland Plamondon has started to build his new house. His father-in-law, P. Cadieux, is constructing it.

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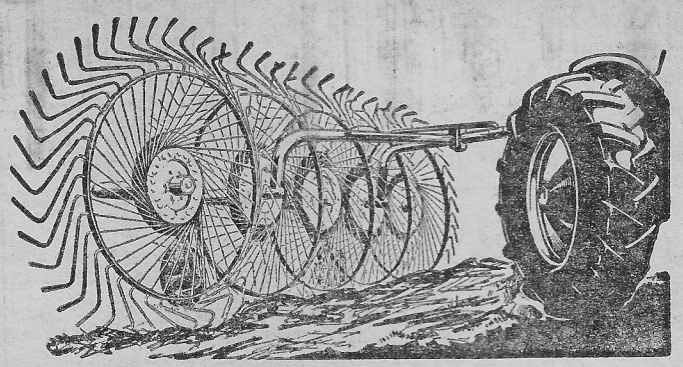

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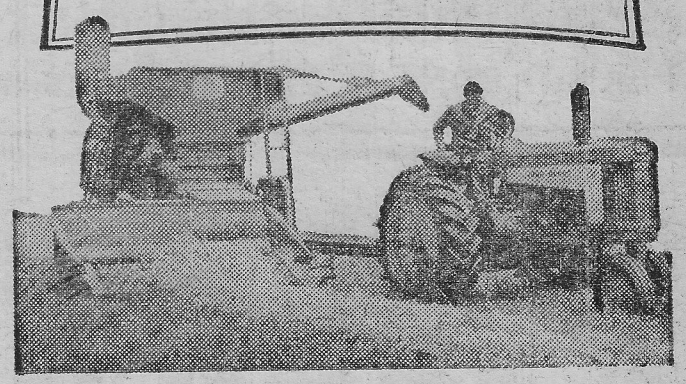

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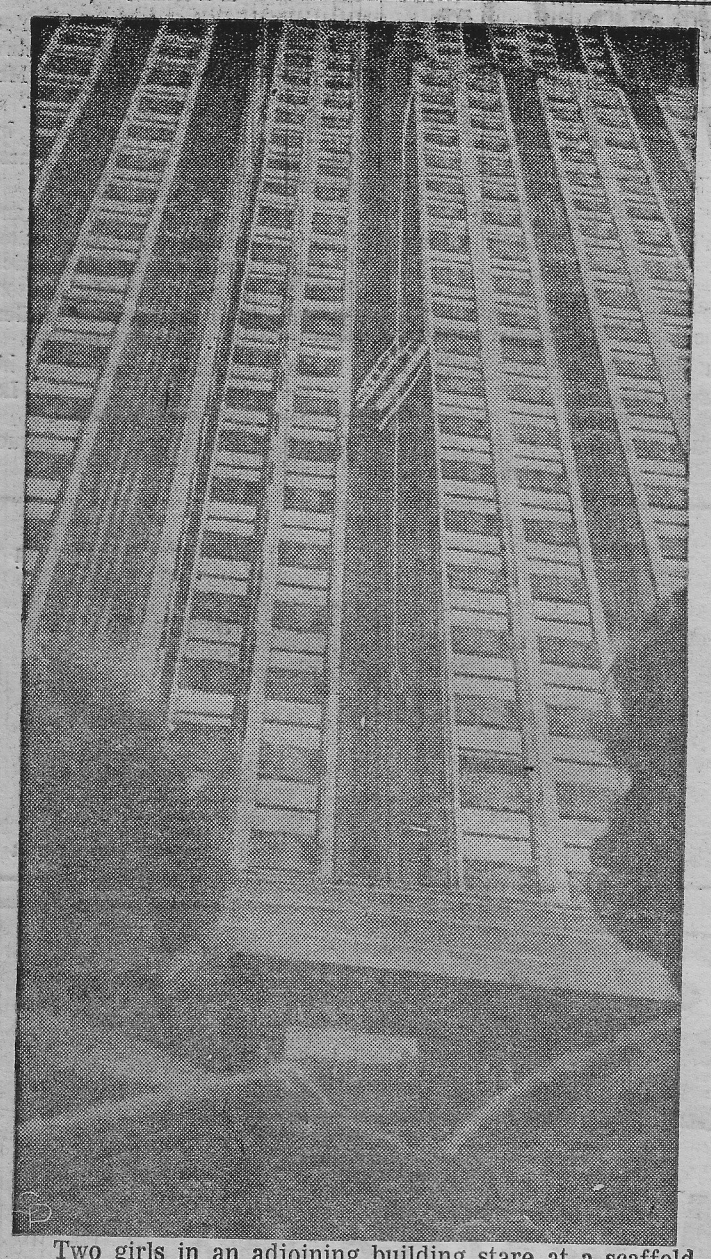

Two girls in an adjoining building stare at a scaffold dangling gruesomely high on the Empire State building in New York. The scaffold tilted when Walter Palmer, 60, opened the wrong clip on the line holding it up. He slid 80 feet down the line and was hauled to safety through an 11th-floor window. His co-worker, Michael Merren, 56, held on to the upper end of the scaffold until he was pulled to safety through an 18th-floor window.

Venice

Visitors at the William Lefebvre home for the weekend were Edmond, Denise Lefebvre and Bob Beaverford, all from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krewski and four children motored from Trail, B.C. to attend the wedding of Mrs. Krewski's sister Victoria and then remained a week visiting relatives in this district.

Fred Diachuck was a patient in the St. Catherine's hospital for a few days.

Shower Compliments Miss Vicki Torresan

LAC LA BICHE — Miss Vicki Torresan was guest of honor at an enjoyable bridal shower held recently in St. Catherine's rectory. A committee of friends organized the evening, which was fun-packed from start to finish.

After the friends had gathered in the hall, Miss Torreson was brought in on a Chinese rickshaw drawn by Miss Lena Bereska and Miss Yvette Richard, dressed in Chinese costumes. Games were played and the many beautiful gifts were opened by the bride-elect, assisted by Miss Bereska and Miss Richard.

A lunch concluded the evening.

Lawrence Gingras spent a couple of days visiting his cousins Maurice and Jules Lefebvre.

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The unit will operate between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. with 120 to be examined.

From Amber Valley, the clinic will move to Caslan Metis Colony and commence operations at 1:30 p.m. on September 4.

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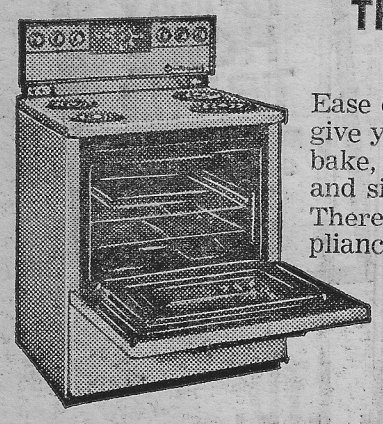

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New Stamp Marks Highway Opening

The Hon. Ellen L. Fairclough, postmaster general, last week announced that the postage stamp marking the opening of the Trans-Canada Highway will be released for sale on August 31 and not on September 4, as previously announced.

Mrs. Fairclough explained that the date of release has been advanced because of the change of date for the official opening of the Highway to September 3. The opening, to take place at Rogers Pass in Glacier National Park, British Columbia, had originally been planned for the 4th and the stamp was to have been issued on that date to coincide with the opening. Since post offices are closed on Labor Day, the day for the release for the stamp has been advanced to August 31.

The postmaster general stated that in view of the short notice given for the change in release date, all 'first day covers' received by the Postmaster, Ottawa, before September 4, will be processed.

Church Notice

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Lac la Biche Pastoral Charge
Sunday, August 26

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Family Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.
RICH LAKE
Family Worship ..... 12:30 p.m.
KIKINO
Family Worship ..... 4:00 p.m.
Laymen in charge, H. Lett and F. Lockwood.

International Conference On Education Set For Edmonton

Edmonton will be the host for International Northern Great Plains Conference on Special Education and Rehabilitation to be held here on August 20, 21, 22.

This Conference was first organized in 1951 to bring together those people working in the fields of Special Education and Rehabilitation and to help them cope with the many problems particular to the Great Plains area of North America. Delegates will be coming from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, North and South Dakota, Wyoming and Montana to exchange information and to provide mutual help in fulfilling their programs. They will elaborate the theme 'Special Education and Rehabilitation—Partners in Living.'

The last Conference in 1960 was held in Minot, North Dakota. Conference President is T. D. Baker, Deputy Superintendent of Edmonton Public Schools; Vice-Presidents are Dr. F. R. Fowler, Medical Superintendent, Workmen's Compensation Board, and L. R. Gue, Superintendent, Northland School Division; and the Treasurer is David Critchley, Co - ordinator of Youth Service, Youth Services Division, Edmonton Council of Community Services. The following are Commitee Chairmen:

Program—Dr. R. E. Rees, Director Special Educational Services, Department of Education.

Local Arrangements—B. Dockrell, Asst. Professor, Division of Educational Psychology, Faculty of Education, U. of A.

Entertainment and Reception — W. O. Bates, Managing Director, Canada Limb and Brace.

Registration — A. A. Aldridge, Supervisor of Guidance, Department of Education.

Exhibits—Mrs. Alizon Lamb, Executive Director, Edmonton Rehabilitation Society.

Publicity—Pierre Gariepy, Executive Director, Canadian Paraplegic Association, Alberta Division.

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Frains

Weekend visitors from Edmonton at Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shwetz's place were : Nadie Moroz and Mr. and Mrs. Don Shand and family.

William Smith accompanied by Mike Mamchur made a business trip to Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Sawchuk and Ronny of Westview, B.C., visited friends and relatives in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Christenson, nee Mary Holowenko, went to Germany recently.

Ernie Kuchmak is staying for his holidays with his aunt, Katie Loposhinsky.

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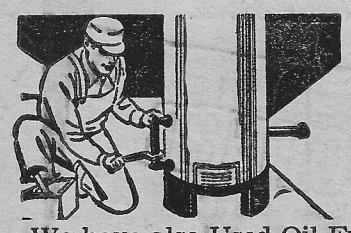

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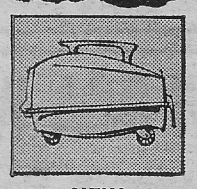

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+ News From Other Alberta Districts +

A. Seguin Scores 91 Points At Bonnyville Flower Show

BONNYVILLE — Results of the flower show held on August 11 were as follows: Cut flowers: first R. Tercier; second, Mrs. A, Landry; third, R. Tercier. Flower arrangements: first, Mrs. McKinley; second, A. Seguin; third, Mrs. John Antoniuk.

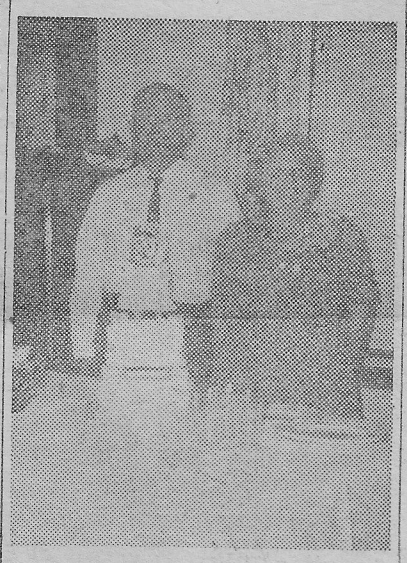
Mixed bouquet: First, Mrs. A. Landry; second, Mrs. McKinley; third, Mrs. A. Landry. Pot plants, unusual: first, Mrs. R. Briggs; second, Mrs. P. Marchand; third, Mrs. Hansen. Pot plants, traditional: first and second, Mrs. Hanson; third, Mrs. McKinley.

The awards were presented to the winners in the home beautification during the afternoon. Charles Moreau gave a talk on the point system used in judging. Mrs. Marie Eschak, Canadian Legion Auxiliary president, presented the awards. Class A: First, A. Seguin, 91; second, R. Tercier, 88; third, A. Landry, 87.25; honorable mention, Mrs. Therese Gamache, 87; B. Bordeleau, 85; William Odynski. 84.75. Class B: First A. Vallee, 89.75; second, A, Mercier, 86.75; third, R. Vincent, 84; honorable mention, Dr. Bugeaud, 82.25. Class C: L. Ayotte, 86.25; and P. Moreau, 73.

Mr., Mrs. Sam Samograd Honored On Golden Wedding Anniversary

INNISFREE — A surprise 50th anniversary party was held for Mr. and Mrs. Sam Samograd at their home on the farm. Approximately 50 relatives and friends were present.

These were four daughters, Mrs. Tillie Schum and Judy of Detroit, Miss Anne Samograd of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Ellen Potter and Lenard of Prince George, B.C., and Mrs. Carrie Markasky and Ricky of Innisfree; sons Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Samograd of Innisfree and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylen Samograd and Dean of Kamloops, B.C.; brothers Mr. and Mrs. Philip Samograd and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Samograd of Innisfree and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Samograd and Dianne of Edmonton; and friends Mr. and Mrs. Bill Synovec and Mr. and Mrs. Lois Synovec and families of Iron River, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Semeniuk and family of Mannville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Proskiw and Mr. and Mrs. George Tarangle of Vegreville, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Polischuk and family of Edmonton and Mrs. Fevdozia Mysyk of Innisfree, aunt of Sam Samograd, who recently celebrated her 89th birthday.



MR. AND MRS. SAM SAMOGRAD

The long white dining table was centered with a beautiful three-tier wedding cake, and the glasses were decorated with golden 50th stickers. The bride of 50 years wore a gold rose corsage, pinned on by her youngest son, Gaylen. The groom wore a white carnation boutonniere. The honored couple were presented with a lovely recliner chair as their anniversary gift, plus individual gifts from friends. After dinner they were taken to a Vegreville studio to have their photos taken.

Several of the youngsters celebrated their birthdays near the date of the anniversary. Ricky Markasky his seventh on July 22, Judy Schumm's ninth on July 17 and Clarence Samograd's on the seventh of this month. The day was also the sixth wedding anniversary of Sam Samograd's niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Polischuk.

The children had their table centered with a large decorated birthday cake done in aqua and gold, also gifts were exchanged, pictures taken and birthday wishes and songs for each one. The weather being just perfect that day, everyone thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samograd have been farming in Alberta for the past 52 years, coming to the Innisfree district in 1934. Mr. Samograd has served his community well. During the years he has served as school board trustee and chairman before the consolidation of schools. He has also been registrar of voters and polling officer for both local and provincial elections. Mrs. Samograd has generously given of herself in helping the sick and needy in the community. She was Dorcas welfare leader of her church in years past. She takes pride in raising a lovely garden and sharing it with others.

Of the seven children, five daughters and two sons, all were present except Mrs. Ollie Herrmann of Vassar, Michigan, U.S.A. There are seven grandchildren.

Congratulations and best wishes of the community to this fine couple for many more years of health, happiness and prosperity.

Former Resident Visits Waskatenau

A recent visitor to Waskatenau was Mrs. Humphrey who, with her late husband Capt. H. Humphrey and their children were former residents of the district.

The family left here 26 years ago and lived in England,, until Capt. Humphrey's death. Since then Mrs. Humphrey has resided with her daughter, Mrs. Sandford of Amhurst Nova Scotia. She is now visiting the W. Nicoll family in Edmonton.

Capt. and Mrs. Humphrey are remembered with esteem and affection by their old friends here. They were active in community life and Mrs. Humphrey was always willing to use her beautiful singing voice for concerts. Capt. Humphrey was for same years president of Warspite Agricultural Society which used to hold a small fair each year.

Alberta MLA's "Scalp" Bowden C of C's 20-8

A ball team made up fo four members of the Alberta legislature, including Highways Minister Gordon Taylor, and officials from the highways department scalped the Bowden chamber of commerce team 20 to eight in a game Wednesday of last week.

The ball game before over three-thousand people folowed the official opening of the 385-thousand dollar provincial bridge at Garrington. The 474-foot long structure replaces the Garrington Ferry.

The "highways" team included: Taylor, pitcher; Robert Clark, MLA Manus, deputy minister, first base; for Didsbury, catcher; L. H. McVic McCune, chief bridge engineer, short-stop; William Ure, MLA for Red Deer, third base; Emil Sanden, assistant bridge engineer, right and Rod Macleod, MLA for Olds, left field.

Couple Moves To City After Thirty Years At Willingdon

WILLINGDON — Friends, neighbors and out-of-town guests met at the Willingdon hall recently to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. H. Savage who are moving to Edmonton.

They have resided in Willingdon for thirty years, where Mr. Savage practised law. He was a town secretary for twenty-five years. Both Mr. and Mrs. Savage are original curling members of the Willingdon Curling Club. They have taken a keen interest in various clubs in town. The couple was presented with a nest of cherry maple tables.

Mr. Savage will be coming every Thursday and Friday to continue business in town.

N. A. Melnyk, MLA, Announces Awarding Of Bridge Contract

ANDREW—N. A. Melnyk, M.L.A. for the Willingdon Constituency announced that the Minister of Highways, Hon. Gordon Taylor has awarded a contract covering Construction of the Substructure of the North Saskatchewan River Bridge near Waskatenau Ferry, to Brent Construction Co. Ltd. Edmonton, at a cost of $185,668.05

Eleven other tenders were received on this project as follows:

Remington Construction Co. Ltd., Cardston, $196,030.87; Van Vliet Construction Co. Ltd., Edmonton, $200,773.00; Odin Const. Ltd., Edmonton, $220,387.55; Namczasz Bridge Construction, Calgray, $228,660.05; McNamara Construction (Western) Ltd., Edmonton, $229,541.75; Coleman Coleries Ltd. and Square M. Construction Ltdr., $232.078.70; Burns and Dutton Concrete & Construction Co. Ltd., $235.967.55; Nodwell Bros, Ltd., Calgary, $239,330.05; Western Construction & Lumber Co. Ltd., Edmonton, $289.081.73; Con-Bridge Ltd., Medicine Hat, $314,965.75; Poole Construction Ltd., Edmonton, $339,150.64.

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Funeral Rites For Thorhild Pioneer

Funeral services were conducted last week from the St. Anne's Roman Catholic church for a well known pioneer business man, Joe Bawol, who passed away at the Radway hospital at the age of 65.

Mr. Bawol was born in Poland and came to Canada with his parents in 1898 at the age of two. In 1914 Mr. Bawol settled on a homestead just one-half mile east of the present village site. There he opened up the first blacksmith shop which he later moved in to Thorhild.

Mr. Bawol was known to be a man of many interests and trades Besides blacksmithing he did shoe repair work, watch repairing, picture developing, electrical work. In 1927 he opened up a garage which he operated until several years ago, and supplied electrical power for the village from 1929 until 1949 when Calgary Power came in. Mr. Bawol was also at one time an agent for John Deere Implements and later for Cockshutt. While operating a garage Mr. Bawol specialized in electrical work. During the past 10 years or so he worked full time into wiring buildings.

He owned a half-share in the Thorhild Transport and was manager of the company.

He was married in 1926 and is survived by his two daughters (Helen) Mrs. Stanley Newman of Calgary and (Millie) Mrs. John MacDonald of Vancouver; his mother, Mrs. M. Mawol of Thorhild; four brothers, John, Walter and Frank and Andrew of Bruderheim.

Rev. Fr. Korewo officiated at the funeral and interment was in the church cemetery.

Thorhild Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Tournament Takes Place In Redwater Golf Club

REDWATER—The Redwater Golf Course will, as it has been in the past, be a very popular location in the near future. This impressive 18-hole, par 35 course has been brought to the best possible condition recently in preparation for the open golf tournamnet which is slated for the 18 and 19 of this month.

Club Secretary E. L. Archer states that some very valuable prizes have been chosen for the top golfers. The tournament gets under way on Saturday & golfers will be matched through a qualifying round preferably. Late comers will be rated by their handicap cards. The executive wishes to stress that this is an open tournament. A large steak barbecue has also been planned for the Saturday evening on the picnic grounds.

At present, the course is occupied by the club championship rounds and will soon be the scene of the president versus vice - president match, with the Redwater Utilities Trophy as the big prize.

In addition to this heavy golfing menu, the Canadian Legion Montgomery Branch of Edmonton was due to invade the local course on the 12 of August for a tournament of its own.

Church Group In Lavoy Studies Mission Work In Foreign Lands

LAVOY — At the August meeting of the Lavoy Baptist Mission Circle, held at the home of its president, Mrs R Dinwoodie, reports and letters from missionaries serving on the three Baptist mission fields; Angola, India, and Bolivia were heard by those attending. "First Experiences in Bolivia which related the experiences of Miss Ruth Dryden, newly arrived in Bolivia and doing nursing duties at Cochabamba Seminary, was read by Mrs. L. Smiley. "Workers together with God" was the title of the article read by Mrs. D. Dinwoodie, and written by Miss Mary Beard, Toronto, which told in brief outline the statistics of each of the missionary fields. More details of the proposed Missionary Fair to be held in Edmonton in a weekend in Oct., were given by the president and the secretary, Mrs. F. Smiley. Pictures of those attending the Indian School at North Battleford and a report of the work done, as written by Rev. B. Johnston, were distributed and viewed.

"Two Aspects of Salvation" was the title of the devotional led by Mrs. Dinwoodie, who stated "The scriptures clearly distinguish between a person becoming a Christian and a life which results because he or she is a Christian. The Christian life is not a matter of trying to be good, or trying to be different, rather it is a supernatural life lined on supernatural resources." She dealt further with these two aspects of salvation by verifying them with a number of Bible passages.

Among the items of business was the arranging of lunch each day for the Daily Vacation Church School, during the week August 6 to 10. Mrs. J. Roth's home will be the meeting place for the September meeting, at which Mrs. D. Dinwoodie and Mrs. J. Kozak will act as co-hostesses.

A social time and lunch concluded a worthwhile afternoon.

Mrs. Daniel Somers, 87, Recalls Pioneering Days

HIGH PRAIRIE — Mrs. Daniel (Isabell) Somers of Worsley was guest of honor on the occasion of her birthday on Saturday, August 18 at Pleasant View Lodge in High Prairie, where she now makes her home. A beautifully decorated birthday cake bearing 87 candles, many cards, greetings and best wishes from her family and her many friends marked this special day for her.

Mrs. Somers was born in Toronto on August 18, 1875, and in 1892 she married John Campbell there. Two children, one son and a daughter, were born to the couple, who moved to Gilbert Plains, Manitoba, where Mr. Campbell died in 1903.

On New Years Day, 1907, she and Daniel Bryce Somers were joined in marriage in Winnipeg by the Rev. Donald Gordon in his famous library, that after his death was taken over by the IODE, of which Mrs. Somers was once a member, and became a monument to Rev. Gordon.

Of this marriage, two sons were born. Mrs. Somers' oldest son, Stewart Campbell, enlisted with the armed forces when war was declared in 1914 and was wounded early in the war. Stewart was a brilliant scholar and was placed on the office staff in the registration office in London, but after Nurse Edith Cavell was shot by the Germans for giving aid to allied prisoners in 1915 and a call came for men, Stewart again volunteered for active service and was numbered among our war heroes who did not return home. He was buried in France on August 17, 1918. Mrs. Somers was not among the mothers who visited the graves of their sons in France, but still cherishes a photo of the grave that was sent to her.

Mrs. Somers well remembers the bitter cold of the bleak Manitoba prairies, where black frost and hail storms robbed them of their crops and left little reward for hard work done, and where she and her husband helped build the district's first schoolhouse and the first church in the area; where they boarded the school teachers who came to teach the school and the ministers who came to preach in the church, and where she nursed the sick and prepared the dead for burial. Especially she recalls that she lost not a single one of 32 patients that she nursed during the time of the great influenza epedemic of 1918.

In 1919, Mr. and Mrs. Somers, with their family, moved to the far north and filed on a homestead at Worsley, where they remained until Mr. Somer's death on October 18, 1937.

Although Mrs. Somers was born in the city, and spent her early life there. she was a true pioneer at heart and was able to adapt herself to conditions wherever she went. She drove four horses on the binder each harvest season from 1918 to 1929. On occasion, she travelled on skis and recalls that once she drove a dog team, hitched to sled her young son had improvised, to a neighbor's home to borrow a needle for her sewing machine, so that she could finish sewing a jacket she was making for the boy.

While their homestead house was under construction, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, who were new neighbors of the family, gave shelter to her organ that she had brought to the north and she played the hymns there for the first church service to be held in the area by a visiting minister. When the minister asked what hymn she would play to open the service she recalls she told him it would be "Unto The Hills Around, I Life My Longing Eyes." By some coincidence, he had chosen that text for his sermon.

There again the family helped to build the first church in the community. In the lean years to follow, her music was a great source of comfort and pleasure to Mrs. Somers and her family. Her sons were musical also, together they played for dances and they sang at concerts. Mrs. Somers spends many hours each week playing the best loved songs of herself and of those about her at the lodge.

Many changes have come to the north country since her early homestead days. The wilderness has gone and a beautiful highway runs along the old farm where the family knew so much hardship and sorrow, so much love any joy.

Two years ago, before she became a guest at the lodge, Mrs. Somers had the thrilling experience of flying back to Toronto, where she spent two months before returing by air travel.

Mrs. Somers has nine grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Of her four children, three are living. Mrs. Muriel Lee of Vancouver, Bill at Worsley and Lloyd at Enilda.

Recently, she made a trip to Worsley to visit with her son and his family and her many friends. Even though she is happy and content at the lodge, where she dearly loves the matron, Mrs. Groves, and her many friends there, Mrs. Somers admits she still misses her old friends and neighbors at the farm.

SHARP PUPIL

The English teacher had been reading to the class about the great forests of America.

"And now, boys," he announced, "which one of you can tell me the pine that has the longest and sharpest needles-"

Up went a hand in the front row.

"Well, Tommy?"

"The porcu!"

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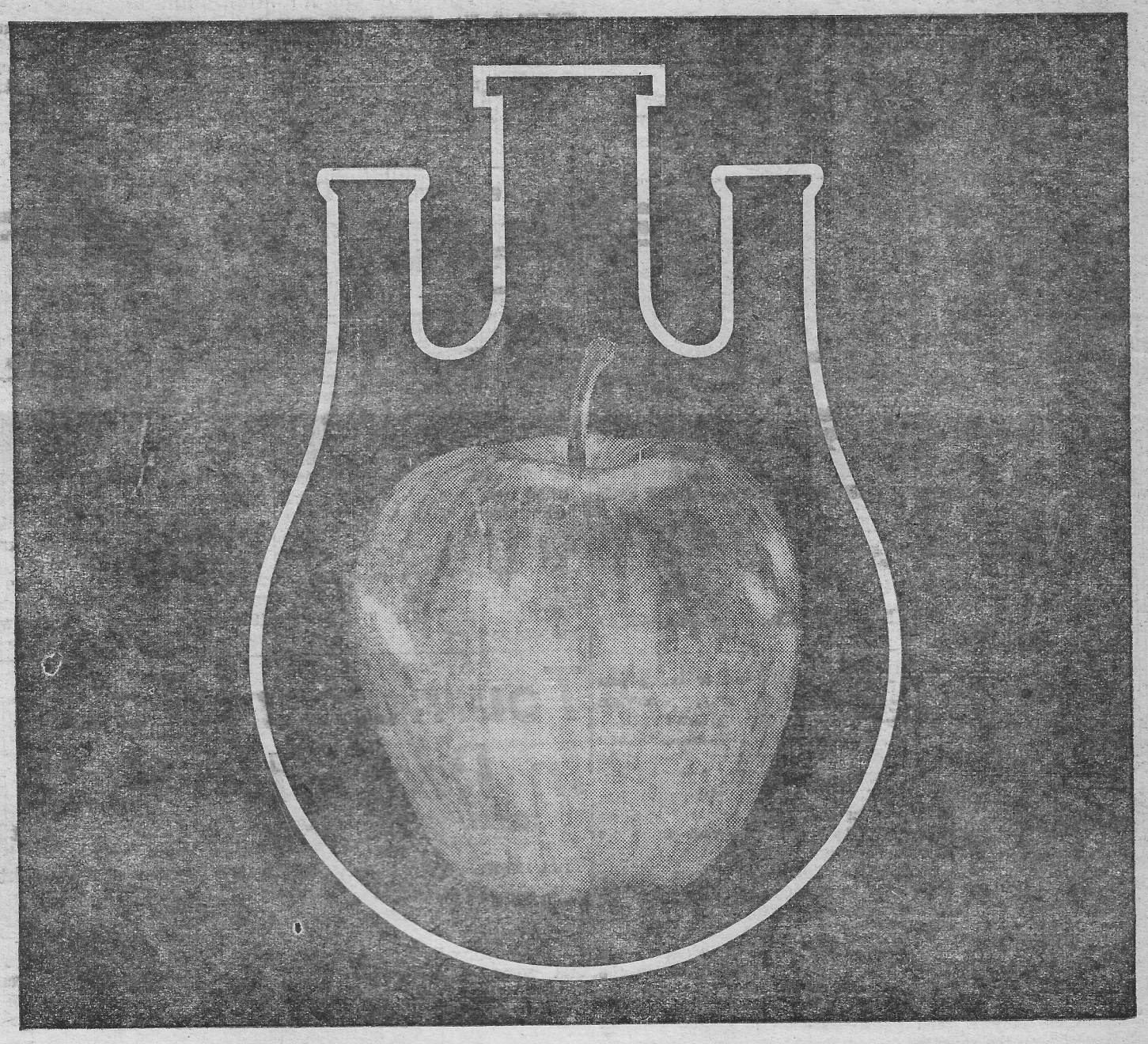

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